



LOCAL LIVESTOCK SHOW—Judging in the annual Hamlin Livestock Show was held at the Hamlin Jaycee Building Saturday with grand and reserve champions named in each of the divisions. Among the champions selected were those pictured here. At left is Russell May with his champion poultry exhibit. Pictured in the middle are Debra Brown (left)

and Russ Lakey. Debra showed the champion Lamb and Russ showed the champion ewe. Pictured at right are Gary Lain (left) and Travis Lain. Gary had the champion gilt and Travis had the champion barrow. The annual show is held by the Hamlin Future Farmers of America and was supported this year by the Hamlin United Way Campaign.

NEWS AND VIEWS...

And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

Business has picked up considerably for the Hamlin Industrial Foundation during the past few months with another prospect taking a look at us last week.

We still do not have an industry ready to commit itself to moving to Hamlin but at least we have people interested in us. This is much more than we had before we had a Foundation and an Industrial Team.

The latest prospect here was from Canada. They were here last Wednesday and I noticed in the Archer County News that they were in Archer City last Tuesday.

This job of luring new industry to town is a slow, time-consuming process, but we are making progress.

You have to balance a fine line between meeting the competition of other towns but at the same time it is not practical to "buy" an industry. Apparently, the biggest hurdle is getting prospects and we seem to be making progress in that direction so maybe we are not too far away from landing a potential employer.

The Industrial Foundation still needs your support. If you have already pledged, then please meet your pledge. If you are one of those who never got around to making a pledge, then please stop by the bank and talk to Sam Ferguson about one.

We recently received an advertising order in the mail from a man in Florida claiming to be the world champion checker player who was looking for challengers. Since he wanted you to send him a dollar to play we threw the thing in the trash.

We had planned to mention this man's gimmick in a column but never got around to it. Now Harold Hudson of Perryton has come up with one tied in with the pet rock craze so we will just pass along his column.

From time to time we toss advertisements received in the mail into our wastebasket because this method is more time saving than explaining the ads with a note of explanation.

Readers would be surprised to see how many ads come in through the mail, usually offering something for nothing. Among those received just the past few days was one from a Phil Shaw of Riverview, Florida, wanting to run an ad challenging you to a game of checkers by mail and calling himself the world champion checker player.

In order to play, you send him a dollar.

No doubt he placed the ad in a lot of newspapers and by now has received a lot of dollars, maybe enough to retire on in Florida.

But after thinking it over, we may be making a mistake in withholding this kind of good stuff from our readers.

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TAKE FRIDAY OFF—

Pipers to Play C-City Tuesday

The Pipers knocked off previously undefeated Coahoma here Tuesday night, 52-44, but their loss Friday night to Anson gave the District 6-AA lead to Colorado City who remains undefeated.

Colorado City will take on Coahoma Friday while the Pipers take the night off. The two teams will meet at C-City on Tuesday to close out the first round of play.

The Hamlin girls lost to both Anson and Coahoma to fall behind in the first round district standings. The girls lost to Anson 53-41 and to Coahoma, 42-26.

The Pipers trailed Coahoma by one at the end of the first period, 12-11, and fell further behind during the second quarter before they rallied to go in at halftime tied 20-20. Hamlin jumped out to a 27-20 lead early in the third period and held their lead for the remainder of the contest.

Gerald Rodgers hit 19 points and Charlie Brown had 18 to take the scoring lead for the Pipers. Delbert Thompson picked up 8 points for the Pipers, Steve Williams 3 and Alan Steele and Daniel Willis

each had 2 points. Kennedy was high for Coahoma with 16 points.

Playing at Anson Friday, the Pipers were outscored 16 to 6 in the first period and 12 to 6 in the third to suffer their first district defeat and their second loss of the season. Rodgers was high for the Pipers with 12. Others scoring were Steele 2, Thompson 6, Brown 6, Rick Craig 4, Paul Reynolds 2, Willis 6, and Williams 2. Guffey was high for Anson with 23.

In the girls game with Anson, Stacy Bell scored 21, Elizabeth Hooper 11, and Starlet Covington 9. Against Coahoma it was Bell 4, Covington 12, Hooper 8, and Tracy Gregory 2.

Hamlin Ag Club To Meet Monday

The Hamlin Ag Club will meet Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria for a supper. Hosts will be Prowl Chemical Co. according to Jackie Buske, president.

SIXTH ANNUAL TELECAST—

Rehab to Feature Array of Stars

Rehab '76 is set to take place Saturday.

The Sixth annual telecast to benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center will air from 7 p.m., Saturday, until 2 a.m. Sunday.

The seven-hour television spectacular will originate live and in color from the Abilene Civic Center, will be seen and heard in a three

state area, and will feature a sparkling array of stars of stage, screen, and television. Ken Curtis, Gunsmoke's "Festus Haggen" will appear

Tickets for the telecast are available in Hamlin at Feagan Oil Company, according to Pat Feagan.

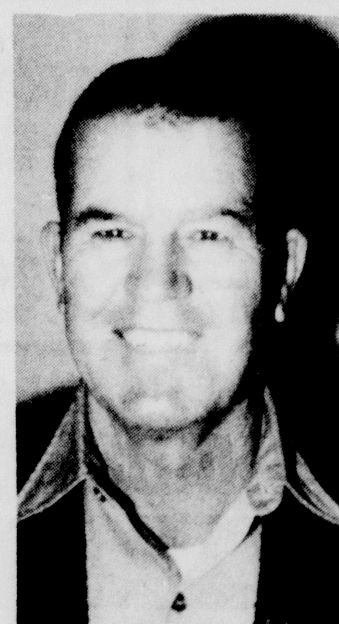
for the first time on a Rehab telecast.

Arti Johnson, the sly German on Laugh-In, also will make his first appearance on the telecast.

The special will be co-hosted by Rex Allen and Shari Lewis, both familiar and popular repeaters on the show. Also featured will be Helen O'Connell, Connie Smith, Slim Pickens, Rex Allen Jr., Arthur Duncan, Pedro Gonzales Gonzales, Johnny Gimble, The Men of the West, the Angle Sisters, and the Rehab '76 Orchestra.

Other personalities expected to appear during the telecast include Bill Mack, Dick Yaws, Don Harris, Ace Reid, Ronald McDonald, Larry Mahan, Don Gay, Ernie Taylor and Monte Henson. Additional personalities are expected to be on hand for the show also.

The annual telecast is the kickoff for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center's year-round fund-raising program. The Center is a private, nonprofit treatment and diagnostic center serving the handicapped of the Southwest.



BILL MOORE
... seeks re-election

W. L. (Bill) Moore To Seek Re-election As Commissioner

W. L. (Bill) Moore, Jones County Commissioner of Precinct I, announced this week that he will be a candidate for re-election, subject to the Democratic primaries in May.

Moore is currently serving his first term as commissioner. He told the Herald that he would issue a formal statement at a later date.

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Hospital Suit Hearing Date Reset Jan. 29

District Court Judge J. Neil Daniel has postponed the date for entering a judgment in the Hamlin Hospital District case from Jan. 22 until Jan. 29. Jack Willingham, local attorney for the district, said that the postponement was made for the convenience of the Attorney General's office in Austin. The new date will coincide with the date for a hearing on the tamford Hospital District before Judge Daniel.

At this time the Judge will rule on the plaintiff's claim that the creation of the Hamlin Hospital District, by the Texas Legislature in 1973 violates their rights under the equal protection clause of the U. S. Constitution.

Kayla Mehaffey Takes Top Stock Show Honors

Kayla Mehaffey showed the grand champion Hereford heifer here Saturday and was awarded the grand champion showmanship award during the annual Hamlin Livestock Show.

The show was held at the Hamlin Jaycee Community building by the Hamlin Future Farmers of America chapter and was supported by the Hamlin United Way. The show is a preliminary event to the annual Jones County Livestock Show to be held in Anson Saturday.

Kayla, 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mehaffey and represented the Hamlin FFA.

Other grand champion winners were: Gordon Roberts, rabbit division; Russell May, poultry division; Gary Lain, breeding swine division; Travis Lain, barrow division; Russ Lakey, breeding sheep and milk goat divisions; and Debra Brown, lamb division.

Show results:

Rabbit Division

Does: 1. Gordon Roberts, 4-H; 2. Gregg Bessire, FFA; 3. Neal Baker, 4-H; 4. Gregg Bessire, FFA; 5. Gordon Roberts, 4-H; 6. Neal Baker, 4-H; 7. Neal Baker, 4-H; 8. Gregg Bessire, FFA; 9. Dwain Miller, FFA.

Bucks: 1. Gordon Roberts, 4-H; 2. Gordon Roberts, 4-H; 3. Gregg Bessire, FFA; 4. Neil Baker, 4-H; 5. Gregg Bessire, FFA; 6. Gregg Bessire, FFA; 7. Dwain Miller, FFA; 8. Neal Baker, 4-H.

Grand Champion Rabbit — Gordon Roberts, 4-H, New Zealand White Doe.

Reserve Champion Rabbit — Gordon Roberts, 4-H, New Zealand White Buck.

Poultry Division

Broilers: 1. Dora Romera, FFA; 2. Tracy Gregory, FFA; 3. Tracy Gregory, FFA; 4. Tracy Gregory, FFA; 5. Carrie May, FFA; 6. Waylon Collins, FFA; 7. Tim Hawkins, FFA; 8. Tim Hawkins, FFA; 9. Waylon Collins, FFA; 10. Waylon Collins, FFA; 11. Carrie May, FFA; 12. Carrie May, FFA; 13. Russell May, FFA; 14. Russell May, FFA; 15. Russell May, FFA; 16. Eddy Hill, FFA.

Pullets: 1. Russell May, FFA; 2. Carrie May, FFA; 3. Russell May, FFA; 4. Carrie May, FFA; 5. Carrie May, FFA; 6. Russell May, FFA; 7. Eddy Hill, FFA; 8. David Hill, FFA.

Laying Hens: 1. Russell May, FFA; 2. Carrie May, FFA; 3. Russell May, FFA; 4. Carrie May, FFA; 5. Tracy

Gregory, FFA; 6. Carrie May, FFA; 7. Russell May, FFA; 8. David Jordan, 4-H.

Turkey Hens: 1. Terry Bailey, FFA; 2. Terry Bailey, FFA; 3. Terry Bailey, FFA.

Grand Champion Poultry Exhibit — Russell May, FFA, New Hampshire Red Laying Hens.

Reserve Champion Poultry Exhibit — Dora Romero, FFA, Cornish-White Rock Cross Broilers.

Breeding Swine Division Duroc Gilts: 1. Gary Lain, FFA; 2. Gary Lain, FFA; 3. Gary Lain, FFA.

Poland China Gilts: 1. Shane Hinkle, FFA; 2. Russell Laird, FFA; 3. Russell Laird, FFA; 4. Mike Pritchard, FFA; 5. Mike Pritchard, FFA; 6. Waylon Collins, FFA.

Grand Champion Gilt — Gary Lain, FFA, Duroc Gilt. Reserve Champion Gilt — Gary Lain, FFA, Duroc Gilt.

Barrow Division Duroc Barrows: 1. Travis

Lain, 4-H; 2. Gary Lain, FFA; 3. Gary Lain, FFA; 4. Gary Lain, FFA; 5. Travis Lain, 4-H; 6. Steve Hastings, FFA; 7. Travis Lain, 4-H.

Poland China Barrows: 1. Steve Hastings, FFA; 2. Shane Hinkle, FFA; 3. Mike Pritchard, FFA; 4. Mike Pritchard, FFA.

Grand Champion Barrow — Travis Lain, 4-H, Duroc. Reserve Champion Barrow — Gary Lain, FFA, Duroc.

Breeding Sheep Division

Aged Rambouillet Ewes: 1. Kelly Ferguson, FFA.

Aged Suffolk Ewes: 1. Russ Lakey, FFA; 2. Russ Lakey, FFA.

Grand Champion Ewe — Russ Lakey, FFA, Suffolk. Reserve Champion Ewe — Russ Lakey, FFA, Suffolk.

Milk Goat Division Aged Nannies: 1. Russ Lakey, FFA; 2. Russ Lakey, FFA.

Grand Champion Milk Goat — Russ Lakey, FFA. Reserve Champion Milk Goat — Russ Lakey, FFA.

Lamb Division Finewool: 1. Debra Brown, FFA; 2. Waylon Collins, FFA.

Crossbred Lambs: 1. Debra Brown, FFA; 2. Waylon Collins, FFA.

Grand Champion Lamb — Debra Brown, FFA, Crossbred Lamb.

Reserve Champion Lamb — Debra Brown, FFA, Finewool Lamb.

Breeding Beef Division: 1. Heifers from 1-2 years old: 1. Kayla Mehaffey, FFA; 2. David Moore, FFA.

Grand Champion Beef Heifer — Kayla Mehaffey, FFA, Hereford Heifer.

Reserve Champion Beef Heifer — David Moore, FFA, Hereford Heifer.

Commercial Beef Division: Stacy Bell, FFA, Good. Showmanship Award — Kayla Mehaffey, FFA.

School Board Sets April 3 Election

The Hamlin Independent School District trustee election has been set for Saturday, Apr. 3. The three-year terms of two members of the seven-member board will expire this year.

The terms of Lewis Earl Madden and Clyde Lewis are the members whose terms expire. Madden filed for re-election following the regular meeting of the board Monday night. Lewis was unable to attend the meeting and has not indicated whether or not he will be a candidate.

Mrs. Melvin Scott has been named judge for the election to be held in the high school lobby. Mrs. J. O. Murphree will serve as absentee clerk. Anyone desiring a place on the ballot may secure the necessary forms from the superintendent's office at the high school.

During an executive meeting the board granted a leave of absence to Paula Jeanne Holder, third grade teacher. She will be replaced by Janice Lain during her absence.

In other action the board granted permission for the administration to study changing the date for the Spring break and granted permission for the annual Junior-Senior banquet and prom.

The board also adopted a new free and reduced price meal policy to conform to new regulations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cotten and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan attended the graveside services for Sye Ballew at 4 p.m. Sunday afternoon in Ennis and burial in Myrtle Cemetery.

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TENDER FED HEAVY BEEF SWISS or FAMILY STEAK	LB.	99¢	PARADE SLICED INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED CHEESE	12 OZ.	89¢
BONELESS STEW MEAT	LB.	\$1.09	PARADE SLICES INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED CHEESE	8 OZ.	79¢
FAMILY PACK GROUND BEEF 3 LBS. OR MORE	LB.	79¢	GLOVER (BOLOGNA, OLIVE, PICKLE) LUNCHEON MEAT	6 OZ. PKG.	49¢
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KEEBLER ZESTA CRACKERS	1# BOX 59¢
WESSON OIL	48 OZ. BOTTLE \$1.79
ORCHID TOILET TISSUE	4 ROLL PK. 59¢
CHIFFON FACIAL TISSUE	200 CT. BOX 49¢
BAMA RED PLUM JAM	18 OZ. JAR 59¢
MRS. BAIRD'S 1 1/2# BREAD	WHEAT SANDWICH 49¢

HUNT SALE

HUNTS TOMATO JUICE 300 CAN	5 FOR \$1.00
HUNTS TOMATO SAUCE 8 OZ. CAN	6 FOR \$1.00
HUNTS FRUIT COCKTAIL 300 CAN	3 FOR \$1.00
HUNTS CATSUP	32 OZ. BOTTLE 79¢
HUNTS FRUIT COCKTAIL	# 2 1/2 CAN 69¢
HUNTS TOMATOES	# 2 1/2 CAN 59¢
HUNTS CATSUP	14 OZ. BOTTLE 43¢
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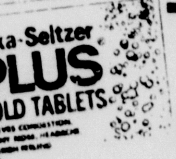
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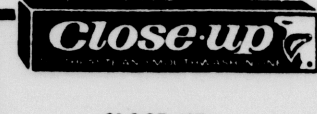
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HUNTS TOMATO PUREE 10 1/2 OZ. CAN	3 FOR	\$1.00

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HUNTS TOMATO PASTE 6 OZ.	4 FOR	\$1.00
ZEE NAPKINS 60 COUNT PKG.	4 FOR	\$1.00

PUPP KITS HUSH PUPPY MIX 6 OZ. PKG.	5 FOR	\$1.00
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PARADE CORN MUFFIN MIX 7 OZ. BOXES	5 FOR	\$1.00
PANKITS PANCAKE MIX 6 OZ. PKG.	5 FOR	\$1.00
VAN CAMP WHITE OR GOLDEN HOMINY 300 CAN	5 FOR	\$1.00
ALLENS, ALL EXCEPT POKE SALET GREENS 303 CAN	5 FOR	\$1.00

AARP Hold Covered Dish Supper Meeting

The American Association of Retired Persons met in the Fellowship Hall of the Nazarene Church Thursday evening for a covered dish supper.

Mrs. T. C. Gregory, new president, presided and announced committees for 1976.

The program directed by Mrs. Earl Brown, chairman, on stories and hymns was presented in parts by Mmes. B. H. Gardner, A. A. Hackley, Port Williams, Arnold Griffin and Miss Viola Avants.

M. S. Johnson directed the singing of hymns, accompanied by Mrs. Johnson.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 5 in the high school cafeteria.

Mrs. Tim Jones Gives Program For Sorority

Mrs. Tim Jones presented the program to members of Xi Gamma Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in the home of Mrs. Leldon Clifton Thursday, Jan. 8 at 4 p.m.

The topics for her discussion from the book "Heritage and the Woman" were "Women Who Have Made a Difference" and "Viva La Difference." This was a reassurance that we can not possibly live without man nor would we want to, she noted.

One point made was the most basic idea in life—that there being by God's creation two beings different, for different roles, different stewardship; imperfect beings with the goal of growing to perfection, somewhere down the road: partners with God in the process of life continuum—at once his children and his co-creators.

Mrs. James Harrison, president, presided.

Refreshments were served. Others attending were Mmes. L. C. Bonds, John C. Bryant, Arlie Cassle, C. Weldon Griggs, W. T. Johnson, Howard Mehaffey, Bob McKissack, Cecil Sellers, M. L. Smith, Jerry Waggoner, Jack Willingham and Gerald Young.

The service committee will be in charge of decorating a table for the chapter at the Board of Community Development banquet Jan. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Ingram are parents of a girl, Karen Fay, 8 lbs. 1 oz., born Jan. 2 at 2:15 p.m.

the gospel truth

by Bro. Marshall Townsley

Let's read Mark 11: 24-26, "Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. And when ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have aught against any: that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses."

As Jesus walked the face of this earth, he constantly reminded the multitudes that pressed him that he was there to show them the Father - God and His perfect will for their lives. Therefore when we behold the life and teachings of Christ we see also the earnest desire of our Heavenly Father. Contrary to popular belief, these precious teachings have not passed away but remain as a standard of successful living for Christians committed to destroying the works of Satan. (1 Peter 2:21).

I want to deal this week with forgiveness and its significance especially in the area of prayer. Let's look first at why unforgiveness is so deadly. The Word of God tells us that the force of faith, the substance of answered

prayer, works by love. (Gal. 5:6) Unforgiveness genders strife and bitterness; the extreme opposite. We see then that a person harboring a grudge through some injustice will actually wreck his faith and rob himself of enjoying results in prayer. We also see from V. 26 that God will not forgive those who harbor unforgiveness in their heart. Without the cleansing of God's merciful love, unforgiveness will grow and bring forth death. (James 1:15).

On the other hand, the man that walks with God and forgives men their trespasses enjoys His fellowship and a very effective prayer life.

"But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;" (Matt. 5:44)

I exhort you to live these words of the Lord and not just acknowledge them with your head for the Word says: "Not everyone that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." (Matt. 7:21) There are no exceptions to His Word.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

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Holiday Lodge News

Members of the First Baptist Church held the weekly Bible study Thursday afternoon, also members of the Homemakers Class held their biweekly Bingo game for the Lodge residents Monday.

The Rev. Marshall Stewart gave the Sunday School lesson and also conducted our afternoon church services.

The Young Homemakers Class held our monthly birthday party this week. We combined our December and January parties since December was such a busy month for us.

Gifts were given and cake and punch served. Those having birthdays in December were Mae Edwards, Dec. 4, 1896; Dora Hemphill, Dec. 1, 1896; Mrs. Stell, Dec. 15, 1895; Willie Newsom, Dec. 24, 1885; Mrs. Hastings, Dec. 7, 1897; Willie Morgan, Dec. 5, 1889; Bessie Scott, Dec. 18, 1887.

Those having January

birthdays are Pearl Morrison, Jan. 13, 1896; Rebecca Mays, Jan. 21, 1900 and Lula Hodges, Jan. 24, 1894.

Anyone wishing to do volunteer work at the Lodge, may contact Mrs. Jolene Lawlis, activity director, 576-3643.

Bridge Winners

In Tuesday evening competition of Hamlin Duplicate Bridge Club, tying for first and second places were Mrs. Dale Lain and Ray Sonnenburg and Mrs. Tom McMillan and Bob Preston of Abilene.

Third place winners were Joe Smith and Betsy Duncan of Abilene.

Mrs. O. R. Shelton spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Brown in Amarillo.

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Parents Can Help Protect Children From Lung Disease

Children should be able to breathe the way the laugh. Spontaneously. Effortlessly. Too many cannot. From birth, when the outside air first enters infant lungs, those vulnerable organs are exposed to a host of environmental factors that can interfere with — even cripple — their function. Each year, the new chemicals and modern life-styles resulting from our expanding technology increase the hazard.

More than 2,000,000 children under age 16 suffer from asthma, the sudden attacks of breathlessness triggered by an allergic reaction. A new medicine known as cromolyn sodium can prevent asthma attacks in many children and is delivered in an inhaler simple enough to be managed by them.

researchers now studying cellular changes associated with asthma hope for even more effective treatment in the future.

Meanwhile, nearly anything that can be inhaled can cause asthma in some child, somewhere. That includes smoke from parents' cigarettes. Even children who are not sensitive to tobacco smoke are affected by it. Second-hand smoke weakens the lung defenses, steps up the heartbeat, increases blood pressure and robs the body of the oxygen it needs. Some studies indicate colds and breathing problems are twice as common among young children whose parents smoke at home, than among those with non-smoking parents.

Parents habits also are a strong influence on children. Most teenagers who smoke, have parents who smoke. Air pollution, too, affects young lungs. Researchers at a recent air pollution medical conference presented evidence that elementary school children living in areas where particulate pollution is high had less breathing capacity than children from areas with clean air. And that sulfur oxides and particulates in the air may be linked to increased incidence of

pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and other lower respiratory infections.

Cough, fever, rapid breathing or wheezing all are signs that something is interfering with the function of children's lungs. A doctor should be called, immediately, when any of these symptoms appear. Prompt attention to lung infections can help prevent future breathing problems.

Keeping toxic cleaning materials and other dangerous substances tucked away safeguards against accidents that can cause lung damage. Your local lung association, the Christmas Seal people, will be happy to provide additional advice, and information about childhood lung diseases, air pollution and smoking.

Answer your Christmas Seal letter. It's not too too late — your support is needed more than ever. It's a matter of life and breath.

Mrs. Moore Hosts Garden Club Meeting

Mrs. R. D. Moore was hostess for the Jan. 8 meeting of the Hamlin Garden Club at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Joe Don Hymer, president, presided. Thirteen members were present.

Mrs. Ronnie Jeffrey presented an informative program on poisonous plants.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, southwest of Hamlin, was designated as the "Yard of the Month."

Mrs. B. B. Colwell was voted unanimously to become a lifetime honorary associate member of the Garden Club.

The meeting for February will be in the home of Mrs. Rodger Bell with Mrs. Arlie Cassle presenting the program on chrysanthemums.

New Baby

Mr. and Mrs. Rickie Gene Hobbs of Eastland are the proud parents of a daughter, Kimberly Anne, born Jan. 6, at 1:52 p.m. at Ranger General Hospital in Ranger. She weighed 5 lb. 6 oz.

The Hobbs have one son, Bradley Gene, 10.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Farnsworth of Hamlin. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hobbs of Carbon.

SOCIAL SECURITY

A Social Security representative from the Abilene District Office will be in Hamlin on Tuesdays at 10 a.m. on the following dates this quarter: Jan. 27, February 10 and 14, and March 9 and 23. The representative meets with area persons at the office of the Hamlin Board of Community Development.

Mrs. Johnston Gives Program Here Tuesday

Glenda Johnston of Colorado City presented the program at the monthly Ladies' Salad Supper of the Church of Christ, Tuesday night. Mrs. Johnston's husband, Gene, served as minister for the Hamlin Church before moving to Colorado City in 1973. She encouraged the group to be grateful for our many blessings that God gives us in this new year.

The hostesses, Mrs. A. J. Winegeart, Mrs. Jackie Buske and Mrs. Wayne Hodnett, presented a list of ten new year's resolutions to make each life more spiritual in '76.

Twenty-five ladies attended the meeting including special guests Mrs. Johnston and her daughter Leah and Mrs. John Holtz of Clyde. The next salad supper will be Tuesday, Feb. 10. At that meeting Becky Lucas will present a review of the book "Two From Galilee" by Marjorie Holmes.

Mrs. Byerly Gives Program For Beta Theta

Beta Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Wednesday, Jan. 7, in the home of Mrs. Jim Bonds.

Mrs. Mike Byerly gave the program "Of House and Home." She pointed out the advantages today in household products. Old magazines, butter molds, and an iron were used as aids in her presentation.

Plans were made for game night which will be held Feb. 6. The proceeds will be donated to the Hamlin Bicentennial project.

Other members attending were Mmes. Holman Jones, Ken Prewitt, David Bonds, Sam Mac Hodges, Rodger Bell, Joe Hymer, Gerald Young, Randy Brown, Freddie Hubbard, John Poe, James Crowley, Jimmy Hastings, O. H. Weaver, John Ferguson, Parker Kelley and Pat Willoughby.

New Baby

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buchanan of Austin are parents of a son, Kristopher Robin, 9 lbs. born Jan. 13 at 10:58 a.m. in Hamlin Memorial Hospital. The couple has another son, Timmy, 3.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Park Wheat of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Buchanan of Greenville, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Caldwell visited in Houston over the weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Caldwell and family. Also visiting there were their grandsons, Cecil of Arlington and Jerry of Lafayette, La., who will graduate from college in May to become an architect.

Homemakers To Attend Convention

Representatives for the Hamlin Chapter of Young Homemakers of Texas will be attending the YHT State Convention in Houston along with over 700 Young Homemakers from Chapters all across the state.

"Our Heritage, Our Homes, Our Hope" will be the theme of the 1976 state meeting which will be at the Marriott Motor Hotel in Houston Jan. 16 and 17.

Attending will be Mrs. Roy Pritchard, local chapter president; Ms. Rita Oliver, past Area 4 YHT officer; Mrs. Burt Oliver, associate member; and Mrs. Joe Wayne Carter, chapter advisor.

Mrs. Pritchard and Ms. Oliver will serve as voting delegates for the Hamlin chapter.

New Baby

Mr. and Mrs. David Bingham of Dallas are parents of a girl, Olivia Ann, 8 lb. 4 oz. born Jan. 1.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bingham and maternal grandmother is Thelma Nitengale of Lubbock. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Horace McLaren of Anson.

In Hospital Wednesday:

Beatrice Kemp
Nettie Hackley
Annie McFarland
Sharon Buchanan
Maude Maberry
O. G. Harvey
Irene Neithercutt
Ida Hester
Dustyn Robertson
Gracie Maberry
Lennie Greenway

Dismissed Jan. 7-13:

Dena Sharer
Alberto Woodward
Annie Riddle
Troy Gabriel
Charles Ledbetter
Shelly Hodnett
Jesus Rodriguez
Berta Swink, Aspermont
R. J. Waddle
Edith Carter
Virgil Blackwell
Ann Marshall
Pearl Johnson, Roby
Iva Brown
Ronald Crouch
Carol Sharer
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Bertie Carter

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FROM THE FILES . . .

FIFTY YEARS AGO
(January 8, 1926)

Last Tuesday night was the date for the Annual Banquet of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce. It met at the Morgan Hotel with a fair number of business men present and a number of visitors. Right here the Herald will tell you that the Morgans spread a real dinner for the hungry men, and the way the boys ate, one would be led to believe that they had not had a square meal since a year previous.

Twenty-three members and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Neff, of Haskell, were present at the fourth annual banquet of the Hamlin High School Alumni Association held Thursday evening, December 30, at the Morgan Hotel. Officers for the year 1926 were elected. Meritt "Buddy" Withers, president; Arlie Cassie, vice-president; May Gay, secretary; J. C. Randel, treasurer; Karen Harden, reporter.

Last Friday night, the very first night of the New Year, fire almost completely destroyed the residence occupied by Mrs. Butler. A part of the building was used by Mrs. U. S. Vess, who had moved into it just about night fall. She occupied the north half. It was about eleven o'clock when the fire was discovered, and the fire department made a quick response and soon the Clyde Wilson home on the north and the Smith residence on the south was out of danger. Mrs. Vess lost the greater part of her furniture, according to reports.

A most fitting entertainment, appropriate to the Christmas season, was had on Wednesday afternoon, December 30th, when Mrs. Garland Tumlin in her usual charming manner entertained the Merry Matron Club and the following guests, Mesdames Fowler, Low and Claude Gray. The cozy home was made bright and cheerful with Christmas festooning. Beautiful poinsettias and red dahlias were used for decorating in the living rooms.

We had very good crowds at all our services at the Baptist Church last Sunday, but we hope to do better next Sunday.

At the 11 o'clock and the 7:00 o'clock hours we are to have with us President Sandefer, from Simmons University. The other churches of the town are calling in their services for Sunday evening at seven o'clock and are coming with us to hear Dr. Sandefer discuss the subject: "Modernism."

TWENTY YEARS AGO
(January 13, 1956)

Jake Lawson, local gas company manager, was elected chief of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department when members of the group met in annual business session last Thursday night. He succeeds Lee Hastings.

Lawson was fire chief in 1954. Other officers named at the session were: Jack White, first assistant chief; Earl Johnson, second assistant chief; J. D. Cochran, president; J. D. Josey, vice president; Bill Thompson, secretary-treasurer.

Hamlin will be the center of attraction Saturday night for one of the finest aggregations of high school football players and coaches in the business, when the annual grid banquet of the Pied Piper Booster Club is staged at the Hamlin Junior High School Gymnasium.

Honored guests will be the two all-district Class 4-AA teams selected from the five member school squads; all members of the state AA champion Stamford Bulldog team; all members of the Hamlin High School Pied Piper football team; coaches from all the five district 4-AA schools; Coach Sammy Baugh and Bill Ledbetter, athletic director of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene; and Les Brown of Abilene, president of the West Texas Football Officials Association. Speaker for the evening will be Mike Brumbelow, head football coach at Texas Western College at El Paso.

Hamlin Junior High School girls defeated the Albany team in the opening game of the Junior High Conference Monday night by a 30 to 23 score. Outstanding players for the Hamlin girls were Brenda Fincannon and Rebecca Ferguson. They boys lost their game by a 63 to 18 count. Ken Prewit was Hamlin's outstanding player.

Jack Owen Coats recently assumed the position of planning engineer at the Hamlin plant of the Celotex Corporation. He previously had been connected with the engineering department of the City of Lubbock.

Hamlin area farmers and those of the rest of the country found little consolation in the announcement issued from Austin this week by the U.S. Department of Agriculture that the mid-December index or ranch and farm prices was at its lowest level in almost 10 years.

The department said the index was down one per cent from mid-November and five per cent below mid-December of 1954.

TEN YEARS AGO
(Jan. 13, 1966)

Jones County elected officials and all employees will receive a little more in their pay envelopes during the coming year as the result of action taken Monday by the commissioners court.

Three Hamlin High School students were named to the All-Region Band Saturday in Big Spring. Reba Jackson, alto sax; John Osbourne, trumpet and Gary Hester, tuba, were selected by the judges, band directors in Region 6.

Mrs. Mary Newberry, Jones County Home Demonstration Agent is attending a week's District training meeting for the house demonstration agents of District III, at

Vernon from Monday, January 10 until Friday, January 14th. Teaching plans for the program implementation for 1966 will be done for 4-H and Home Demonstration club work.

Hamlin will serve as host of the Jones County Livestock Show to be held Friday and Saturday, Jan. 21 and 22 in Stamford and Anson.

The March of Dimes street blockade will be Saturday, Jan. 15. The Boy Scouts of Troop 43 will be in the downtown area taking donations and distributing passes to motorists. The annual Mother's March will be held here Thursday, Jan. 20, with members of the Hamlin Jaycee-ettes, the Hamlin PTA, Beta Theta sorority and Future Homemakers of America making the march beginning at 5 p.m.

The Texas Employment Commission has closed its farm office in Anson, according to an announcement by Kenneth Carman, local Farm Placement Representative. This action was taken by the Commission due to the dwindling supply of farm workers available in the Jones County area.

This semester will be very important for the seniors. They have decided on a Texas tour for their senior trip. The trip will be to several historical towns and sites. The towns which will be visited are Austin, San Antonio, Houston, and also a visit to Six Flags Over Texas.

NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

And What Have You

— Continued from page One

Any nation that entered a national rock craze during the Christmas season just has to be looking for ways to get skinned.

In case you didn't get in on it, the Pet Rock made sales history. Pet Rocks sold out in every department store and had customers clamoring for more.

And what is a Pet Rock?

It is just that. A common, ordinary rock, the kind that you can pick up in any creek bed. Polished a little, and in odd shapes and sizes, but just plain old ordinary rocks.

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The Pet Rock is also used as a tranquilizer and pacifier, good for executives among all else. Merely take your smooth surfaced Pet Rock and stroke it, using one hand or two. Keep it up and you will notice that you are calming down. Works well and costs less than pills.

Rocks are rocks and some are more interesting than others. Some people collect rocks and polish them and mount them into jewelry. These people have a fancy name like lapidarist, but the owner of a Pet Rock doesn't need a fancy name.

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Who said P. T. Barnum was dead?

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
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Christ Ambassadors 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Midweek Service 7:00 p.m.

BAPTIST MEXICAN

MISSION

Rev. Filepe Martinez

Stamford Highway

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 5:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 6:00 p.m.

CALVARY MISSIONARY

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James Whitten

N. W. Avenue G at 5th

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

BTS 6:30 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

CENTRAL BAPTIST

CHURCH

Jess Wayne Adkins

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Church Training 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

David E. Giddings, minister

Lake Drive at Ave. A.

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Midweek service 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH of the NAZARENE

Rev. Marshall Stewart

S. W. 1st at Avenue C

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

N.Y.P.S. 5:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

EAST SIDE CHURCH OF

CHRIST

Richard Lee Davis Jr.

Bible Class 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Class 6:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Howard J. Jones

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.

Training Union 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist

Church

Rev. James W. Smith

48 S. W. Ave. A

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

M.Y.F. 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Sharing Groups 7:30 p.m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Claud Fry, pastor

113 S. W. Avenue D

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Crusade Hour 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer, Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

HOLY TRINITY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Stephen White

Aspermont Highway

SUNDAY

Mass 9:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

Services 7:30 p.m.

McCAULLEY BAPTIST

Rev. George Caffey

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

McCAULLEY METHODIST

CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

NEINDA BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Frank Codington, pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service 6:30 p.m.

OAK GROVE BAPTIST

Rev. Leo F. Scott

N.E. Ave. H

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

B.T.U. 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY

Midweek Service 7:00 p.m.

SYLVESTER BAPTIST

CHURCH

Rev. Mike Robinson

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL

CHURCH

219 N.E. Ave B

Rev. Jimmy Skiles

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evangelistic Service 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

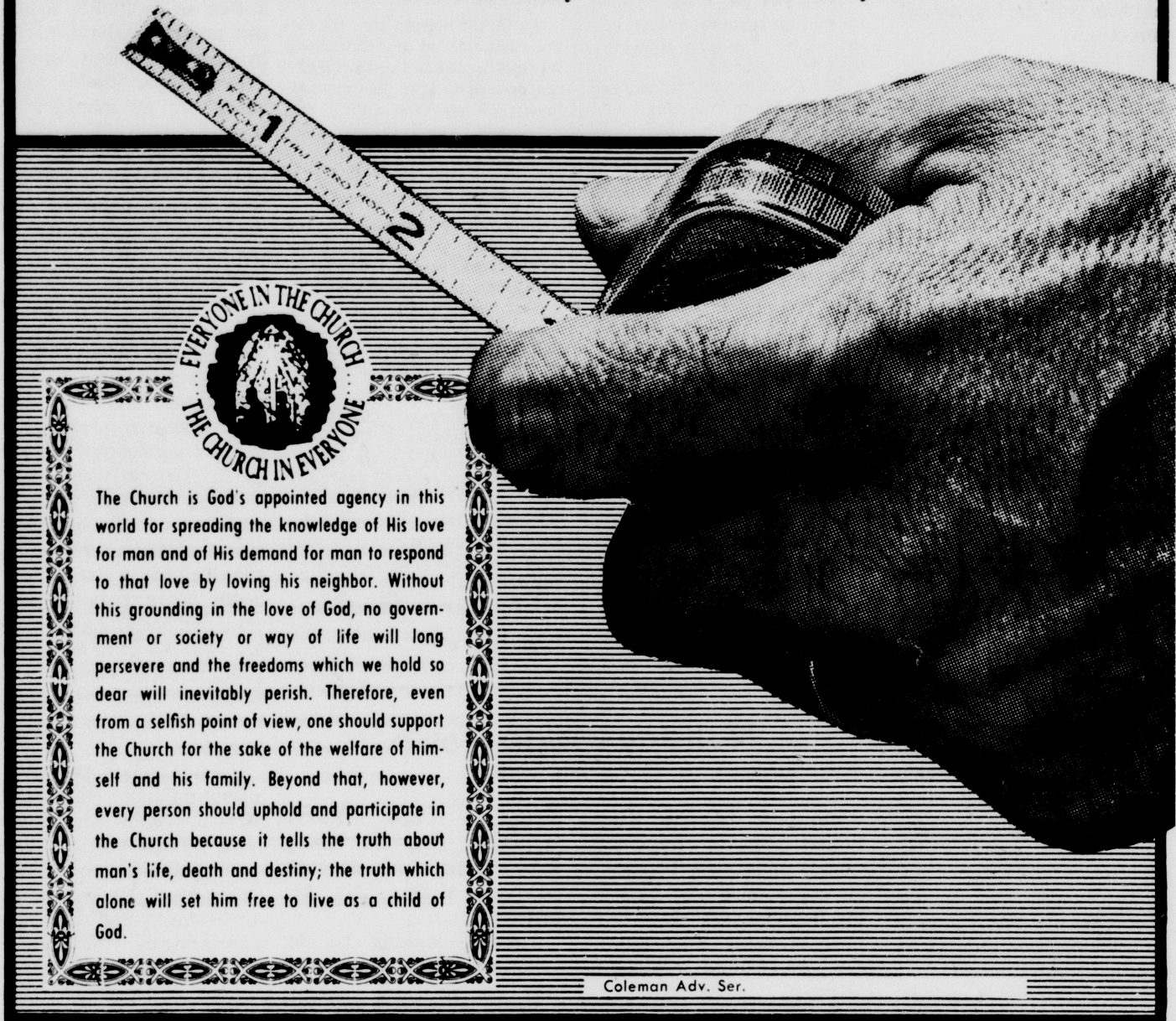
Youth Service 7:30 p.m.

The Carpenter's FRIEND

To build... one must have plans, and plans give exact measurements. The carpenter who makes careful measurements finds that the work is made easier. Careful measuring prevents waste... waste of time and materials. Therefore the measuring device is truly a friend to the carpenter.

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NEWS FROM OLD GLORY

By BERNICE D. WHITE

In order to comply with regulations set up for postal department employees, Old Glory Postmaster Lisbon Letz has announced that he will be closing the Post Office at 4 p.m. A few other minor changes have been made in the time the post office window will be open according to Letz, but mail pick-up time has not changed. A new larger box has recently been placed at the Old Glory Post Office for outgoing mail.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dunham and children Rodney and Rachelle returned recently from a holiday trip to Los Angeles, Calif., where they visited relatives. They were accompanied to California by Dunham's brother and son, James Alvin Dunham and Michael of Hobbs, N. M.

Visitors in the Dunham home since they have returned have included Dunham's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dunham and three boys of Jayton, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker and children of Tulsa, Okla.

Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Boyd Cox and girls Michelle and Robin of Papillon, Neb. were here recently visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cox, and other relatives and friends.

They reported that Cox's nephew, Mark Cox, presently stationed with the Air Force at Grand Fork, N. D., had spent the Christmas holidays with them. Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Garret Spitzer spent the weekend in Levelland visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Spitzer, who recently moved from Lubbock to Levelland.

The Spitzers also visited in Levelland with Mrs. Bishop Keeling. Mrs. Keeling reported her mother, Mrs. Freda Buchtein was ill and in a hospital. Mrs. Buchtein lived at Rule many years and has a number of friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Spitzer also stopped in Lubbock to visit

with a sister-in-law, Mrs. Les Wienke.

Susan Baldree was one of 25 student nurses participating in capping ceremonies for Hendrick's student nurses held in Abilene at Crescent Baptist Church in Abilene last Saturday. Susan is a 1975 graduate of Old Glory High School. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Baldree, were among those attending the ceremonies.

Nikki Surratt and Chris Baldree of Abilene spent the weekend here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Baldree. Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Sawyers and son on Sunday were her mother, Mrs. E. W. Duke, and her sister, Mrs. Jan Pollock and Wendy, all of Benjamin.

Derrell Denman of Abilene Christian College was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dugan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Garner and girls of Abilene and Mrs. Preston Gardner of Swenson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Garner Sunday.

Announcements have been received here that Mr. and Mrs. James Ray of Longview are parents of a baby girl, Heatherly Lynn, born Dec. 30. The baby's mother is the former Beverly Garner. The baby underwent surgery at the Childrens Medical Center in Dallas last Friday, but is reported in good condition and was able to go home on Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Schmidt is still a patient in Stamford Memorial Hospital, but is reported to be improving and is now allowed to have a few visitors for short periods of time.

Dinner Saturday

Oak Grove Baptist Church will sponsor a dinner Saturday in Fellowship Hall beginning at 5:30 p.m.

The menu will consist of fried chicken, squash, blackeyed peas, cole slaw, assorted pies, rolls, tea and coffee.

Saturday Rites Held Here for Sye C. Ballew

Sye Claude Ballew, 78, retired general contractor, died at 8:25 a.m. Friday at Hamlin Memorial Hospital after an extended illness. He had been hospitalized two days.

Funeral was held at 10 a.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church with graveside rites at 4 p.m. Sunday at Myrtle Cemetery at Ennis.

The Rev. Howard Jones, pastor, officiated. Burial was under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home.

Born Oct. 24, 1897, at Warren, Okla., he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ballew. He married Minnie Mae Dodd at Ennis Dec. 21, 1920. They moved to Hamlin from Ennis in 1949.

He was a member of First Baptist Church, Masonic Lodge and a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include two sons, Julius D. of Amarillo and Kenneth S. of Hamlin; three brothers, Pat Ballew of Seminole, Wayne Ballew of Hobbs, N. M. and Gene Ballew of Claude; three sisters Mrs. Earl Campbell of Ennis, Mrs. H. Counts and Mrs. May Williams, both of Fort Worth; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Edgar Duncan, Jim Lain, Paul Cooper, Elbert Payne, Joe Simpson and Bobby Stubblefield.

Westmoreland Is Listed In Who's Who

Ted Westmoreland of Kermit has been selected to appear in the 1975-76 edition of "Who's Who in Texas Education." He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Westmoreland of Neinda.

Westmoreland, art instructor at Kermit Junior High School, graduated from Hamlin High School.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Wendell Roberts and Allen Young made Star Rank at the recent Court of Honor of the Boy Scouts.

Wendell is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell. Allen is the son of Mr.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — The Texas Senate resumed its long-delayed trial of the O. P. Carrillo impeachment case after taking steps to shorten the proceedings.

McCaulley FFA, FHA Set Donkey Ballgame Jan. 21

McCaulley Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America are sponsoring a Donkey Ballgame Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school gymnasium at McCaulley.

Tickets may be purchased from any FFA or FHA student or advisor, Eldon Chambers and Mrs. Barbara Martin.

Admission is advanced tickets adults \$1.25; students, 75 cents; children, 50 cents. Gate tickets are adults \$1.50; students, \$1; and children 75 cents.

METER CONNECTS

ON: Henry Lyles, East Hamlin; Jewel Russell, 327 W. Lake Dr.; Merle Ledbetter, McCaulley Highway; Charles Parker, 505 N. W. Ave. H.

OFF: Alvin Hinkle, 425 N. W. 6th St.; Raymond Nichols, U.P.; James Crowley, 536 N. W. Ave. I; James Griffin, 637 N. W. 7th St.; Phil Standfer, 736 N. W. Ave. F; Margie Roberson, S. E. 3rd St.

and Mrs. Kenneth Young.

Scouts are meeting now on Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. Sammy Ferguson is Scoutmaster.

In spite of warnings by their counsel, Leon Jaworski, senators voted to accept the entire transcript of a Judicial Qualifications Commission removal hearing on Carrillo for use in the trial.

Attorneys estimated use of the JQC testimony and exhibits may shorten the Senate proceeding from the expected six weeks or more to three.

Meanwhile, the Judicial Qualifications Commission continued to move forward on its own course toward ousting the 229th district judge from office.

Carrillo's attorney, Arthur Mitchell of Austin, made clear he will try to show the impeachment effort was launched as the result of a political break between the Carrillo and George Parr factions in stormy Duval County last year.

Carrillo has been suspended from his court since last August when the House of Representatives voted articles of impeachment, but he continues to draw full pay.

Bentsen Starts

U. S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen began his re-election campaign with a two-day barnstorming tour which ranged from Houston to the Panhandle and from Dallas/Fort Worth to San Antonio.

Bentsen also campaigned in Austin, Lubbock, Amarillo, Abilene and Laredo.

Senate Inquiry

A new task force is investigating tangled state Senate financial affairs over a five-year period.

The inquiry is part of the independent investigation

set in motion by Atty. Gen. John Hill after indictment of Senate Secretary Charles Schnabel on charges of theft and misconduct.

Senators voted last week to keep Schnabel, who has been their chief administrative officer for 20 years, on the job pending trial on the charges.

Lease Sales Set

The School Land Board has scheduled oil, gas and sulphur lease sales February 3, June 1 and October 5 to encourage domestic exploration and development.

Total bonuses received from three oil and gas lease sales last year came to more than \$11.8 million.

Primary areas of interest in the 1976 sales are the lower Laguna Madre and the central coastal region near Matagorda Island. The latter has been restricted to development because of activities on the now-abandoned U. S. Air Force Base and bombing range.

Hearings Begin

The Railroad Commission will start a series of hearings February 3 in Austin and Dallas which could have significant impact on shippers of packages weighing from 100 to 350 pounds.

Nine carriers seek to show present service is in-

The Piper Press

Hamlin High School Happenings

(Compiled each week by the HHS Journalism Class)

The 1976 drivers' education course began Monday morning during the mini-course period. The classroom phase of the course will end the last part of May and the driving phase will begin June 1.

Teachers for the course are Coaches David Bonds, Dennis Anderson and Bettye Davis. Approximately 50 students have enrolled and each person is expected to pay \$50 for insurance and driving expenses.

The DECA chapter members held a meeting

adequate. More than two dozen carriers already operating protest the applications.

The state's unemployment rate dropped near the end of the year to six per cent. National rate was 7.8 per cent.

during the mini-course period Dec. 12 to elect the 1975-76 chapter sweetheart. Chosen was Sonja Corlee, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Corlee of Norman, Okla.

The junior varsity boys' basketball team nipped the Anson Tigers 29-23 in the Anson gymnasium Friday evening. Tim Dechairo was the high scorer for Hamlin with 11 points.

Later in the evening the varsity boys were outplayed 53-40 by the Tigers, as Gerald Rodgers scored 12 points.

The Piper eighth grade boys whipped Hawley Monday evening in Hawley 31-26 as Odis Willis tossed in 14.

Canning a bucket in the last ten seconds the Hawley eighth grade girls nipped Hamlin 26-24 despite Piper Donna Bell's 22 points.

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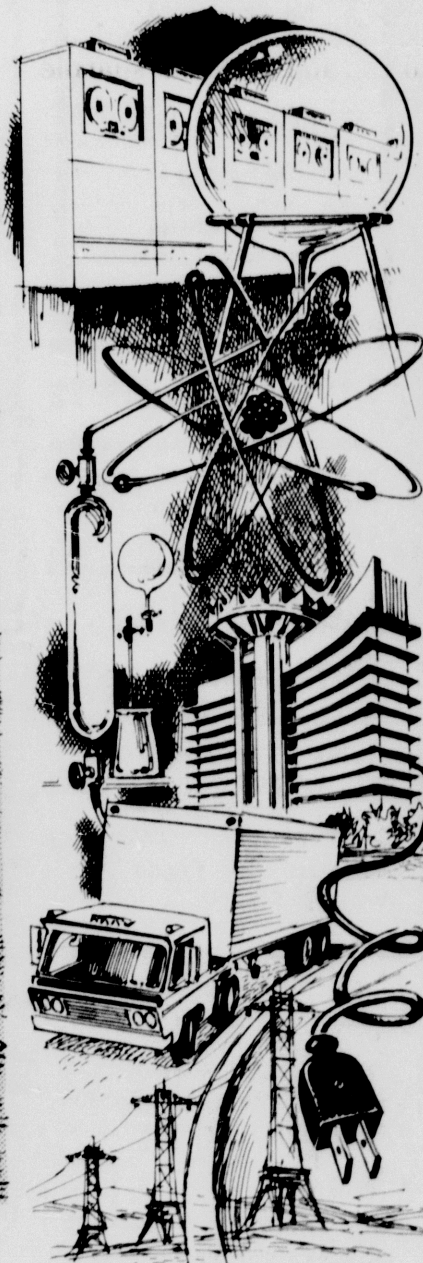
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Mrs. Clarence C. Bailey and Family

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank all you nice people for your visits, cards, flowers, and most of all your prayers during my stay in the hospital. May God bless each of you.
F. F. Shout

CARD OF THANKS
We want to express our deep appreciation for all the many acts of thoughtfulness extended us in the loss of our loved one. Your prayers, visits, cards, flowers and kind words were indeed comforting.
The Family of Charles Norris Shira

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

The following have announced for the 1976 Democratic Primaries:
For Jones County tax assessor-collector:
ROY L. LANE
(Re-election)

For Jones County Sheriff:
WOODROW (WOODY) SIMMONS
(Re-election)

For Jones County Commissioner, Pct. 1:
W. L. (BILL) MOORE
(Re-election)

Neinda Philosopher Still Unable to Write; Digs Out A Column From His Musty Files

Editor's Note: The Neinda Philosopher still hasn't recovered sufficiently from surgery to be able to write a column this week; consequently, he had a friend rummage through his elaborate filing system and pick out a column that ran years ago just to see if it would still stand up. Here it is. What do you think?

Dear Editor:
Why don't you and me go into the public opinion poll business?
I got this idea last night while I was looking over a copy of the Reporter-News which my dog dragged into the yard yesterday afternoon and left there un-torn, didn't like the taste of it I guess, although I don't know why, you ought to see some of the bones he chews on.
At any rate, over on an inside page there was the result of the latest Gallup Poll. After surveying people

clear across the nation, the Poll discovered that the "most urgent problem facing the average man and his family today is money." Of all family problems, it found, "the high cost of living overshadows all other worries of the American people today."

This is the reason you and me ought to start our own public opinion poll. I could have discovered the same results without interviewing a single person or using even a postage stamp, and if you can sell the poll to other newspapers, everything we take in will be net profit, and I can sure use my part to help meet the high cost of living. You bought any tractor parts lately? Been to the hospital? Re-placed a picture tube? Fed a growing boy? Bought any dog food?

There are some things a man just knows automatically, and one of them is that regardless of

how much he earns, his family is always one jump ahead in needing a little more. Every time he gets into a new income bracket, he discovers his family has been there for months already.

Another thing about this poll we ought to start is that we could use it over and over.

Not only is it true that the average consumer is in an economic squeeze today, he was in one yesterday, last year, ten years ago, and most likely will be in one ten years from now. By the time you own one car, your family needs two, and when you swing that, color television comes in and the family next door has a speedboat.

Let's get this poll going. My tractor is missing out and my TV set is flickering.
Your faithfully,
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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Hamlin City
Name of Bank
In the state of Texas at the close of business on December 31, 1975
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

NAME OF BANK: Farmers and Merchants National Bank CHARTER NUMBER: 12700

BALANCE SHEET at the close of business on December 31, 1975
month day year
INFORMATION ABOVE NOT TO BE PUBLISHED

		Thousands of dollars	
		THOUSANDS	Hnds Cts
Cash and due from banks (including 36 XXX XX unposted debits)		4,663	XXX XX
U.S. Treasury securities		2,299	XXX XX
Obligations of other U.S. Govt. agencies and corps.		671	XXX XX
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		2,337	XXX XX
Other securities (including 10 XXX XX corporate stock)		120	XXX XX
Trading account securities		0	XXX XX
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		350	XXX XX
Loans		7,546	XXX XX
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		69	XXX XX
Real estate owned other than bank premises		2	XXX XX
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and "associated companies"		0	XXX XX
Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		0	XXX XX
Other assets (including XXX XX direct lease financing)		36	XXX XX
TOTAL ASSETS		18,093	XXX XX

Demand deposits of individuals, prtnshps., and corps.	6,697	XXX XX
Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtnshps., and corps.	6,813	XXX XX
Deposits of U.S. Govt.	36	XXX XX
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	2,900	XXX XX
Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions	0	XXX XX
Deposits of commercial banks	20	XXX XX
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	139	XXX XX
TOTAL DEPOSITS	16,605	XXX XX
(a) Total demand deposits	7,101	XXX XX
(b) Total time and savings deposits	9,504	XXX XX

Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0	XXX XX
Liabilities for borrowed money	0	XXX XX
Mortgage indebtedness	0	XXX XX
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	0	XXX XX
Other liabilities	137	XXX XX
TOTAL LIABILITIES	16,742	XXX XX
MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	0	XXX XX

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	128	XXX XX
Other reserves on loans	0	XXX XX
Reserves on securities	0	XXX XX
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	128	XXX XX

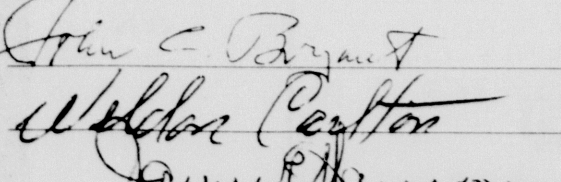
Capital notes and debentures	0	XXX XX
EQUITY CAPITAL, total	1,223	XXX XX
Preferred stock, total par value	0	XXX XX
(No. shares outstanding)		
Common stock, total par value	100	XXX XX
(No. shares authorized 1,000) (No. shares outstanding 1,000)		
Surplus	250	XXX XX
Undivided profits	698	XXX XX
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	175	XXX XX
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,223	XXX XX
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	18,093	XXX XX

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with the call date	16,321	XXX XX
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	7,189	XXX XX
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in		
total capital accounts	0	XXX XX
Standby letters of credit	0	XXX XX

I, **O. H. Weaver, Jr.**
Name
Cashier
Title
of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.


January 9, 1976
Date

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition. We declare that it has been examined by us, to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct, and that it has been or will be published in the manner prescribed by Title 12, U.S.C. 161, within twenty days from the date of the call for report of condition, or as otherwise prescribed by the Comptroller of the Currency.


Directors

NEWSFROM...

McCaulley

By Mrs. Fred Kemp

Jana Jeffrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jeffrey, has been helping out with the office work at the Sylvester Coop Gin while home for the holidays from Western Texas College, Snyder.

At least 15 members of McCaulley 4-H and FFA showed animals at the Fisher County Livestock Show in Roby Saturday. While attending the show it was good to visit with old friends and to get acquainted with new ones. It is good to see these young people assuming roles of leadership at the stock shows and accept victory and defeat with a good attitude.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Wilson of Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Stony Perkins of Abilene were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kemp Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maberry and Gordon visited

a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maberry Jr. in Sulphur Springs recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kemp and Max visited Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ward of Hermleigh Sunday night.

Mrs. Fred Heatherly and children of Abilene were visitors in the home of Mrs. James Smart Sr. Sunday afternoon.

Memorial services for Mrs. Frances Davidson Williams of Dallas were held their last week. Mrs. Williams formerly lived at McCaulley.

McCaulley Basketball Boys and Girls traveled to Rochester last Tuesday night. The girls were defeated but the boys won. Friday night both teams played Rule here. They were defeated but our team played well. Tuesday the teams will play Lueders-Avoca here at 7 p.m. and Thursday the teams will travel to Weinert.

Friday and Saturday the Six County Livestock Show will be held in Sweetwater. At least 19 members of the FFA Chapter and 4-H Clubs will attend.

Mrs. Beatrice Kemp is in Hamlin Hospital suffering a broken pelvis after a fall Sunday.

The Texas Ranger Hall of Fame will be dedicated in Waco February 6-7.

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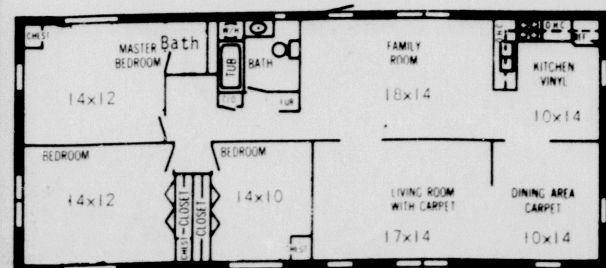
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GALVESTON — Ex-Gov. Seymour is to preside at the annual convention of the American Dairymen's Association in New York. Governor Seymour knows how to milk a cow dry.

DALLAS COUNTY — At Dallas, the papers quote wheat at 90 cents to \$1; oats at 40 cents on wagons, 50 cents sacked on cars; corn 55 to 58 cents, mostly Kansas in car lots.

HOUSTON — A squabble between old and new city offices remained unchanged today. The old officers are unwilling to give up their positions; consequently cases are being heard in Recorders Court separately and independently before both judges.

SAN ANTONIO — Bold depredations by the Indians who stole nearly 100 head of horses from Captain Adams' rancho on the Leon have been reported. A party is pursuing the Indians, who had a two hour head start.

ANDERSON COUNTY — Twelve hundred dollars have been subscribed towards building an Episcopal Church at Palestine.

GALVESTON — 'The Angel of Midnight' performed last night in the Tremont Opera House "...is one of the most nonsensical of all the mass of melodramatic twaddle with which the American stage was flooded just previous to the introduction of the clawnanimer series of modern dramas. Not only is the plot itself void of sense or reason, but the mawky sentimentalism of the principals disgusts one completely with the whole play."

DENISON — Work on the frontier telegraph line from Fort Concho to Fort Stockton progressing from both ends as rapidly as weather will permit; and also on the line from Fort McKavatt to San Antonio.

FORT WORTH — For Sale: 80 acres of timber, about five miles from here. Price is \$6 per acre.

AURORA — Merchants have handled upwards of 300 bales of cotton this winter and will probably double that amount as about half the cotton raised here is yet to be ginned. This amount, plus the immense quantities taken to Dallas by producers from this section show that Wise and the northern part of Tarrant counties is the cotton producing part of Texas.

TRAVIS COUNTY — No winter yet. Green peas and other vegetables abound.

Advertised in the Galveston News — Joseph Labadie Hardware Co. Has for sale cheap: Pierced and plain soup ladles, milk skimmers, cups, scoops, cake turners, ash shovels, gravey strainers (only 15 cents each), splendid wash pans (only \$1); milk, cake and bread pans, spoons, waffle irons, sad irons, and carvers, kitchen, skimming, butcher, table and pocket knives.

Mass Communications
Texas Tech University

Donkey Ballgame

Coming To Old
Glory Monday

It's more fun than a rodeo! At least that is what some folks are saying concerning an event coming to the Old Glory School gym.

Monday night, Jan. 19, at 7 p.m. a number of local residents will be performing in a Donkey Basketball game at Old Glory. Advanced ticket prices are 50 cents for pre-school children, 75 cents for students and \$1.50 for adults. Tickets will also be available at the door on the night of the

ball game, but prices will change to 50 cents for children, \$1 for students, and \$1.75 for adults.

The Donkey Basketball game is being sponsored by the Old Glory Freshman Class, and advanced tickets can be bought from an member of the class or at the school office according to Bill McKee, freshman class sponsor.

Donkeys to be used in the ball game will be furnished by Godfrey of Crescent, Okla.

A concession stand will be open 30 minutes before the game and also during the game. Various treats will be available.



JAY CUNNINGHAM
... promoted

Jay Cunningham
Gets Promotion
At Southland Life

Jay T. Cunningham, CPA, FLMI, a Hamlin native, has been promoted to assistant vice president, manager, Tax Department in the Treasurer's Division at Southland Life Insurance Company, Dallas.

He joined Southland Life in 1973 as the manager of the tax department. Prior to joining the company he had over nine years of experience in the public accounting and insurance tax fields.

Cunningham earned his BBA degree in accounting from Texas Tech University in 1962. In 1969 he received his Certified Public Accountant designation and in 1975 earned his Fellowship degree from the Life Office Management Association.

He is a member of the American Institute of CP As, the Texas Society of CP As and the Dallas Chapter of CP As. He and his wife, Carol, have two daughters and a son are members of the First Baptist Church of Richardson.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cunningham of Hamlin.

Sen. Ray Farabee
Is Vice Chairman
Of Commission

Governor Briscoe has appointed Senator Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls to serve as vice-chairman of the Texas Coordinating Commission on State Health and Welfare Services. The

Commission held its first meeting January 8 in Austin.

The Commission was created by the 64th Legislature as a result of the requirements of Public Law 93-641, the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act.

The Coordinating Commission's primary task is to assure the most efficient expenditure of federal funds and to avoid duplication in the process.

Chairman Tim Von Dohlen said, "The Governor has given the Commission an important responsibility to review the Health Systems Agency applications and to recommend to him which applicant should be approved. The twelve Health Systems Agencies which will function in Texas will play a vital role in determining what health care services are available to the people in their area. It is essential that the very best applicant be chosen for each Health Systems Agency."

Senator Farabee said, "The Commission adopted a work program which calls for finalizing Commission recommendations at its next meeting on February 11. In addition, the Commission will consider development of a work program for review of federal health care grants in Texas."

Abilene Fine
Arts Museum
Plans Show

The Abilene Fine Arts Museum will open its 32nd Annual Artists exhibition on Feb. 29. This competition is open to all artists of Texas. Local residents will provide over \$1000 in purchase prizes in addition to \$450 in awards. Judge will be Charles McGough, Texas Eastern University, Commerce, Texas.

Any painting, drawing, or print medium including collage is acceptable. Work done in class or under supervision by students is not eligible. Four original recent works not previously shown in any Abilene Fine Arts Museum exhibit may be entered, no entry to exceed 60 inches in either dimension including frame. All entries must be in good condition, framed and ready for hanging, and must have a label firmly attached to the back upper right hand corner of the painting or frame.

Artists who fail to receive labels in the mail should stop by the museum to pick them up or write P. O. Box 1858, Abilene, Texas 79604 to receive prospectus.

An entry fee of \$3.50 per entry and completed entry form must be mailed to the Abilene Fine Arts Museum by February 20. Entry fees will be retained whether or not the entries are accepted. Attached entry blank and notification card must accompany entries.

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Further information may be obtained by writing the Texas Air Control Board at 1218 N. 4th, Suite 205, Abilene, or by calling 915-673-4768.

THIRD SUNDAY SINGING

The Third Sunday Singing is scheduled for Sunday at 2 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church.

The public is invited to attend.

Adult Education

Classes to Meet

An organizational meeting for Basic Adult Education will be held at 7:00 o'clock Monday evening, Jan. 19 in the high school building.

Anyone interested is asked to attend.

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